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10 NATIONWIDE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY and

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12 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

13 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

14 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

15 SEAN MICHAEL CARTER,

16) CASE No. 3:07-CV-05588

17 Plaintiff,

18) **STIPULATION TO FURTHER EXTEND**
19) **TIME FOR DEFENDANT NATIONWIDE**
20) **LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY TO**
21) **RESPOND TO COMPLAINT**

22 v.

23 K&K INSURANCE GROUP, INC.,

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25 d/b/a SPECIALTY BENEFITS

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27 ADMINISTRATOR, INC.; NATIONWIDE

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29 LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY;

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31 NATIONWIDE MUTUAL INSURANCE

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33 COMPANY; AON CORPORATION, and

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35 DOES 1-100,

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37 Defendants.

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39 **RECITALS**

40 Plaintiff Sean Michael Carter (“Plaintiff”) filed his complaint in state court on or about

41 June 26, 2007. On or about November 2, 2007, Defendant Nationwide Life Insurance Company

42 (“Nationwide Life”) and Defendant Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company (“Nationwide

43 Mutual”) jointly removed the case to this Court. At the request of counsel for Nationwide Life,

44 counsel for Plaintiff has agreed to further extend the time for Nationwide Life to respond to the

45 Complaint.

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1 **STIPULATION**

2 It is hereby stipulated by Plaintiff and Nationwide Life, by and through their counsel of
3 record, and pursuant to Local Rule 6-1(a):

4 1. Nationwide Life's responsive pleading shall be filed not later than Friday,
5 December 21, 2007; and
6 2. All other current deadlines shall remain unchanged.

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8 IT IS SO STIPULATED.

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10 Dated: December 17, 2007

11 GOLDSTEIN GELLMAN MELBOSTAD GIBSON
12 & HARRIS, LLP

13 /S/
14 By _____
15 Lee S. Harris
16 Attorneys for Plaintiff
17 SEAN MICHAEL CARTER

18 Dated: December 17, 2007

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